POWER OF ATTORNEY AND AUTHORIZATION OF AGENT

In accordance with the statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) filed herewith, Illumina Inc. is the assignee of the entire interest in application for letters patent entitled: METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR WHOLE GENOME AMPLIFICATION AND GENOTYPING having named inventors: Kevin Gunderson and Frank Steemers and filed herewith. I, the undersigned individual, who is authorized to act on behalf of Illumina Inc., hereby appoint the following practitioner(s) to prosecute this application, and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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My residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR WHOLE GENOME AMPLIFICATION AND GENOTYPING, the specification of which

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	was filed on	as Serial No.
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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

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